## Before the State of South Carolina Department of Insurance

| In the Matter of:      | ) | SCDOI Docket # 06-0715 |
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| The Jamison Group Inc. | ) | ORDER REVOKING         |
| c/o Marvin O. Williams | ) | AGENCY LICENSE         |
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This matter comes before the South Carolina Department of Insurance (the Department), upon application of David E. Belton, Esquire, Senior Associate General Counsel for the Department, requesting the revocation of The Jamison Group Inc's, (Agency) agency's license.

After careful review of the evidence presented the Department issues the following decision.

## FINDINGS OF FACT

Agency is currently a South Carolina licensed agency.

In the State of South Carolina the agency failed to remit premiums to the Columbia Underwriters Inc in the amount of at least \$216,000.00.

In the State of South Carolina the agency has failed to maintain a licensed insurance producer.

## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Pursuant to S.C. Code §38-43-240(A)(3) "It is unlawful for a producer, collector, or other person to fail to turn over or satisfactorily account for all collections of the insurer when required" Thus, as a result of the Jamison Group Inc. failed to remit premiums to the Columbia Underwriters Inc in the amount of at least \$216,000.00.

Pursuant to S.C. Code §38-43-100(G)(2) Individual and agency insurance producer licensing; written examinations; contents of license. An agency acting as an insurance producer is required to obtain an insurance producer license. Application must be made using the Uniform Business Entity Application. Before approving the application, the director or his designee shall find that the agency has designated a licensed producer or other person responsible for the business entity's compliance with the insurance laws, rules, and regulations of this State. Thus, as a result the Jamison Group Inc. has failed to maintain a license insurance producer.

THEREFORE, it is ordered that the Jamison Group Inc's, South Carolina agency license shall be revoked thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of this order, and no license issued through the State of South Carolina Department of Insurance is to be issued to them, unless the Jamison Group Inc requests in writing within said thirty (30) day period a public hearing before the South Carolina Administrative Law Court.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the National Association of Insurance Commissioners be immediately be notified of this order.

This South Carolina Department of Insurance administrative disciplinary order is a public record subject to the disclosure requirements of the State of South Carolina's freedom of Information Act, S.C. Code Ann. §§30-4-10, et seq. (1991 and Supp. 2000). Nothing contained within this administrative disciplinary order should be construed to limit or to deprive any person of any private right of action under the law. Nothing contained within this administrative disciplinary order should be construed to limit, in any manner, the criminal jurisdiction of any law enforcement or judicial officer. Nothing contained within this administrative disciplinary order should be construed to limit the statutory duty of the Director of Insurance, exercised either directly or through the Department of Insurance, to "report to the Attorney General or other appropriate law enforcement officials criminal violations of the law relative to the business of insurance or the provisions of this title which he considers necessary to report." S.C. Code Ann. §38-3-110(3) (Supp. 2000).

Eleanor Kitzman
Director of Insurance

Dated this <u>2</u> day of November 2006 Columbia, SC